Joint reply comments

of

the European Commission and Inmarsat Inc.

to

FCC IB Docket No. 17-16

on provisioning of a waiver for the use of Galileo in the United States

Introduction

The European Commission and Inmarsat have discussed the issues raised by Inmarsat in its comments to the FCC Public Notice on IB Docket No. 17-16.

Comment

Inmarsat has indicated that it is ready to carry out a measurement campaign, to which the European Commission is invited to observe, in order to further assess the impact to the Inmarsat system and the service offered to its customers.

Further to this, both parties have agreed that if it is demonstrated that Galileo emissions cause interference to Inmarsat receivers resulting in an impact to Inmarsat service, both parties will coordinate bilaterally in order to minimize the impacts to Inmarsat services as soon as is feasible within the constraints of the European Union's international obligations.

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